

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT LIST

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/526,512
Intl. Filing Date	September 5, 2003
First Named Inventor	Kotlar, Hans
Group Art Unit	1634
Examiner Name	Kapushoc

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initials	Cite No.	Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date (if appropriate)
/STK/	A1	5,055,397	10/08/91	Michaels <i>et al.</i>	435	9	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initials	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document Country Code-Number-Kind Code	Date	Name	Translation Yes/No
/STK/	A2	EP 0 502 271 A	09/09/92	Standard Oil Co.	Yes
↓	A3	JP 2001 128678	05/15/01	Marine Biotech Inst. Co. Ltd.	Yes, abstract.
	A4	JP 2002 270989	09/20/02	Matsushita Electric Ind. Co. Ltd.	Yes, abstract.
	A5	WO 91/02086	02/21/91	Sleat, <i>et al.</i>	Yes
	A6	WO 01/14587	03/01/01	JAPAN as represented by Secretary Of Agency Of Industrial Science And Technology, <i>et al.</i>	Yes, abstract.
	A7	SU 892394	12/23/81	Soyuzgeofizika Nucl.	Yes, abstract.

NON-PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initials	Cite No.	Non-Patent Citations (include Author, Title, Publisher, Relevant Pages, Date and Place of Publication)
/STK/	A8	DeLong <i>et al.</i> "Archaea in Coastal Marine Environments," <i>Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA</i> , 89: 5685-5689 (1992).
↓	A9	Fausnaugh, James M. "A Novel Microbial Survey Method for the Detection of Near Surface Hydrocarbon Microseepage," < http://www.karl.nrcce.wvu.edu/esaapg/abstracts/97mtg-abstracts/fausnaugh2.htm >.
	A10	Lanno, <i>et al.</i> , "Development of Relevant Ecological Screening Criteria for the Ecological Assessment of Petroleum Hydrocarbon-Contaminated Exploration and Production Sites," Quarterly Progress Report < http://ipec.utulsa.edu/ipec/reports_with_pics.d/JulSep01.html >
	A11	Massana <i>et al.</i> , "Vertical Distribution and Phylogenetic Characterization of Marine Planktonic Archaea in the Santa Barbara Channel," <i>Applied Environ. Microbiology</i> , 63(1):50-56 (1997)
	A12	"Microbial Formation damage of Hydrocarbon Reservoirs," < http://www.corex.co.uk/newsrb.htm >
	A13	Orphan <i>et al.</i> , "Culture-Dependent and Culture-Independent Characterization of Microbial Assemblages Associated with High-Temperature Petroleum Reservoirs," <i>Applied and Environ. Microbiology</i> , 66(2):700-711 (2000) (Abstract)
	A14	Rawat <i>et al.</i> , "Geo-Microbial Exploration for Hydrocarbon – A Promising Technique," <i>Proc. Second Seminar on Petroliferous Basins of India</i> , 3:297-300 (1994)
	A15	"Reservoir Oil Fingerprinting (ROF)" < http://www.humble-inc.com/rof_app99-2.htm >
	A16	Schwark <i>et al.</i> "Geochemical Effects of Secondary Migration Within the Candeias – Agua Grande Petroleum System Along the Mata Catu Fault Trend, Reconcavo Basin, Brazil," < http://www.cseg.ca/conferences/2000/2000abstracts742.PDF >
	A17	Stetter, Karl O. "Hyperthermophilic Archaea and Bacteria From Hot Petroleum Reservoirs," <i>Earth Systems Process – Global</i> (Abstract)

Examiner Signature: /Stephen Kapushoc/

Date Considered: 12/31/2008

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT LIST

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/526,512
Filing Date	September 5, 2003
First Named Inventor	Kotlar, Hans
Group Art Unit	1634
Examiner Name	Kapushoc

NON-PATENT DOCUMENTS

[illegible]

Examiner Signature: /Stephen Kapushoc/

Date Considered: 12/31/2008

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.